

Leisa,
Saxony - Weimar,
Germany, the 15th
Sept. 78.

Most honoured Sir!

To-day Mr John Müller at Genève,
Switzerland, has written me, that you
have some collections of Trinitis,
dad-ferns to be sold, at the
price of 7 dollars 50 cents each.

I beg you sincerely to send me
one specimen of these collections
and to send it with the other collec^{ions}
to Mr John Müller. I shall send
you the money immediately either
to Cambridge or to Mr Müller, my
dear friend, as you like.

I am very fond of studying

ferns, but the mosses
("musci frondosi") have
always been my favorite
plants. There is at Cambridge
a very learned biologist,
Mr. Th. James, my dear
friend, to whom I have
sent to Paris (where he
has lived some weeks during
the exposition of this year)
a large parcel of european
and exotic mosses, in return
for his beautiful collection of
american mosses he has sent
me. But never saw I mosses

very abundant in A. Seeb, apothecary at Leida, Saxony - Weimar.

from the island of Trinidad,
When you hear, most honoured
Sir, that Mr. Fendler is
gathering mosses on that
island or at another place
of the tropical America,
I should be exceedingly happy
if you would kindly give me
notice of it. Or do you know
of any collection of mosses of
the tropical regions of America
to be sold? The flora of North
America is very completely re-
presented in my biological herbarium,
but still many species
of South-America are wanting to
me. Believe me, dear Sir,
most faithfully
Yours A. Seeb